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A) Copy of the originally executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, signed by inventors;

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- B) Preliminary Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.115 Submitted Prior to the First Examination and Action;
- C) Sequence Listing in written form;
- D) Sequence listing in computer readable form (CD);
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